

Amendments to the Claims

Claims 1-29 (Cancelled)

Claim 30 (Currently Amended) A loudspeaker comprising:

a magnetic circuit having a yoke and a magnetic gap, ~~wherein said yoke has an expansion provided at an outer circumference of said yoke and a cut provided at an outer circumference of said expansion;~~

a frame having at least one clip section;

a voice coil inserted in the magnetic gap of said magnetic circuit; and

a diaphragm connected to said voice coil,

—wherein

~~—said expansion yoke has an expansion provided at an outer circumference of said yoke, said expansion extending outward from said yoke,~~

~~—said expansion has a slot provided at an outer circumference of said expansion, and~~

~~—said expansion and said at least one clip section couple said magnetic circuit and said frame.~~

Claim 31 (Currently Amended) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein ~~and~~ said yoke has at least one additional expansion for coupling ~~said magnetic circuit and said frame to said yoke.~~

Claim 32 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said frame is made of plastic.

Claim 33 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said yoke comprises an outer cylindrical portion and a bottom portion, wherein said bottom portion is fitted to said outer cylindrical portion at a step provided at said outer cylindrical portion.

Claim 34 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 33, wherein said yoke is formed by caulking a bottom end of said outer cylindrical portion around a tapered part provided at an edge of an outer circumference of said bottom portion.

Claim 35 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 33, wherein said bottom portion of said yoke has a lift-up at a central part of said yoke, a magnet, and a plate overlaid on said bottom portion.

Claim 36 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said magnetic circuit is an inner magnet type magnetic circuit comprising said yoke, a magnet and a plate, said magnet and said plate being overlaid in a central part of said yoke.

Claim 37 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said magnetic circuit further comprises a heat radiator.

Claim 38 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said yoke further comprises a protrusion formed on said expansion, and said frame is provided with a recess for engagement with said protrusion.

Claim 39 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 37, wherein said heat radiator is a cap made of copper material disposed so that an end of said cap makes contact with a bottom portion of said yoke in said magnetic circuit.

Claim 40 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 37, wherein said heat radiator is a cap made of copper material having a protrusion protruding into a space of said voice coil.

Claim 41 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 37, wherein said heat radiator is a ring made of copper material attached to an outer cylindrical portion of said yoke.

Claim 42 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein at least an outer circumferential portion of said yoke is exposed and extruding from said frame.

Claim 43 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said voice coil has a cap and a perforation provided at a location of said voice coil lower than a level where a damper is connected.

Claim 44 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 43, wherein the perforation sinks into the magnetic gap when said diaphragm vibrates.

Claim 45 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein a bottom portion of said yoke has a groove at an outer circumference.

Claim 46 (Previously Presented) The loudspeaker of claim 30, wherein said clip section further comprises a tapered portion for coupling with said expansion.